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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: SCOPE RULING ON ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER ON HEAVY FORGED HAND TOOLS FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (A-570-202)

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TO: DIRECTORS OF FIELD OPERATIONS
PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, SPECIAL ENFORCEMENT

RE: SCOPE RULING ON ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER ON HEAVY FORGED HAND TOOLS FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (A-570-202)

1. ON 10/14/2005, IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST BY AVALANCHE INDUSTRIES INC., ("AVALANCHE") THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ISSUED A FINAL SCOPE RULING REGARDING A STEEL LOG SPLITTING DEVICE, REFERRED TO AS THE MEAN GREEN SPLITTING MACHINE AND/OR SMART SPLITTER, AND WHICH IS APPROXIMATELY 40 INCHES IN HEIGHT AND 7 POUNDS IN WEIGHT. THIS PRODUCT CONSISTS OF PARALLEL STEEL SUPPORT AND GUIDE SHAFTS THAT ARE PERMANENTLY ATTACHED TO A SPLITTING ELEMENT WHICH CONTAINS: A SPLITTING WEDGE WITH A LOWER SHARPENED CUTTING EDGE AND AN UPPER FLAT STRIKING SURFACE; A

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THREADED BORE THAT EXTENDS INTO THE SPLITTING WEDGE FROM THE UPPER STRIKING SURFACE; A CONDUIT WITH A LONGITUDINAL BORE TO HOLD THE SUPPORT SHAFT; AND A PAIR OF CONNECTOR BARS THAT ATTACH THE SUPPORT SHAFT CONDUIT WITH THE SPLITTING WEDGE. THE DEVICE ALSO CONTAINS A STRIKING WEIGHT WHICH IS PLACED ON THE GUIDE SHAFT. THE DEPARTMENT HAS DETERMINED THAT THESE PRODUCTS ARE INCLUDED WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER/FINDING COVERING HEAVY FORGED HAND TOOLS FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (A-570-202).

- 2. CBP IS INSTRUCTED TO CONTINUE TO SUSPEND LIQUIDATION OF, AND COLLECT CASH DEPOSITS ON, ENTRIES OF STEEL LOG SPLITTING DEVICES, LIKE THAT DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPH 1, FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, LISTED ABOVE, SUBJECT TO THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER ON HEAVY FORGED HAND TOOLS FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA.
- 3. FOR ALL SHIPMENTS OF THE STEEL LOG SPLITTING DEVICES FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, LISTED IN PARAGRAPH 1, YOU SHALL, UNLESS OTHERWISE INSTRUCTED, CONTINUE TO ASSESS ANTIDUMPING DUTIES ON THE SUBJECT MERCHANDISE AS INSTRUCTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.
- 4. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION OFFICERS, THE IMPORTING PUBLIC, OR INTERESTED PARTIES PLEASE CONTACT DAVINA HASHMI OR RON TRENTHAM AT OFFICE OF AD/CVD ENFORCEMENT, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, AT (202)482-0984 OR (202) 482-6320 (GENERATED BY 09:HZ).
- 5. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

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Company Details

*Party Indicator Value:

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